Dear FCC,

I benefit from listening to XM Satellite Radio and its traffic and weather channels. Satellite radio provides variety and quality that is not available elsewhere. I pay for these services and it should not be up to the National Association of Broadcasters to dictate what I am permitted to hear. I respectfully urge the FCC to reject the NAB's petition 04-160 and to support XM's ability to provide the kind of programming that I demand and deserve.

I talked to a local broadcaster (WIBC - Indianapolis) and they reffered to Satellite Radio as the competition. My question to you...when is it that the competiton can use the govenment to unfairly dictate the programing of a competitor??

If I were a competitor of Satellite Radio I would make sure that my house was in order. And if not, I would bring it in order myself and not ask the government to fight my fights!

Please...this is uncalled for!

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